Transmittal Letter To The United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) Concerning A Filing Under 35 U.S.C. 371

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Title of Invention: FOLDABLE SPECTACLES, SPECTACLE CASE AND ARRANGEMENT OF FOLDABLE SPECTACLES IN THE FOLDABLE CASE

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Applicant hereby submits to the Unites States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:

- 1. \underline{X} This is a **FIRST** submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
- This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
- 3. \underline{X} This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 USC 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.
- 4. X The US has been elected (Article 31).
- 5. \underline{X} A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)):
 - a. \underline{X} is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).
 - b. _ has been communicated by the International Bureau.
 - c. _ is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US)
- 6. \underline{X} A English translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2).
- 7. \underline{X} Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))
 - a. ___ are attached hereto (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).
 - b. _ have been communicated by the International Bureau.
 - c. _ have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.
 - d. X have not been made and will not be made.
- 8. _ An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).
- 9. \underline{X} An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).
- 10. _ A translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).

ITEMS 11 to 20 BELOW CONCERN OTHER DOCUMENT(S) OR INFORMATION INCLUDED:

- 11. X An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.
- 12. \underline{X} An assignment document in favor of $\underline{\textbf{DIAMOND SA}}$ of $\underline{\textbf{Losone, SWITZERLAND}}$ for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.
- 13. X A **FIRST** preliminary amendment.
- 14. _ A **SECOND** or **SUBSEQUENT** preliminary amendment
- 15. _ A substitute specification.
- 16. _ A change of power of attorney and/or address letter.
- 17. _ A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter2 and 35USC 1821 1825
- 18. _ A second copy of the published international application under 35 USC 154(d)(4)
- A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 USC 154(d)(4)

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20. X Other items or information:

TRANSMITTAL LETTER; INTERNATIONAL PUBLICATION NUMBER: WO 2005/081047 A1, WITH THE PCT/ISA/210 (INTERNATIONAL SEARCH REPORT); INTERNATIONAL PUBLICATION DATE: SEPTEMBER 1, 2005; IN THE GERMAN LANGUAGE, WITH AN ENGLISH ABSTRACT; ENGLISH TRANSLATION OF APPLICATION, WHICH CONSISTS OF 38 PAGES: 25 PAGES OF TEXTUAL SPECIFICATION, 5 PAGES OF 18 CLAIMS, AND 8 SHEETS OF DRAWINGS; PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT, WHICH CONSISTS OF: ATTACHMENT A, TO BE EXAMINED; EXECUTED DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY; EXECUTED ASSIGNMENT, WITH A RECORDATION COVER SHEET; INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT; PTO FORM-1449, WITH 5 CITED REFERENCES, AND COPIES OF 1 OF THE 5 CITED REFERENCES; POSTCARD FOR EARLY NOTIFICATION OF THE SERIAL NUMBER REQUEST.

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The following fees are submitted:					ALCULATION 300.00	PTO USE ONLY	
21. X Basic National Fee (37 CFR 1.492(a)) \$ 300.00					300.00		
22. X Examination Fee (37 CFR 1.492 (c)) If the written opinion prepared by ISA/US or the International Preliminary Examination report prepared by IPEA/US indicates all claims satisfy provisions of PCT Article 33(1)-(4)					200.00		
23. X Search Fee (37 CFR 1.492(b)) If the written opinion of the ISA/US or the International Preliminary Examination report prepared by IPEA/US indicates all claims satisfy provisions of PCT Article 33(1)-(4)					\$ 200.00 \$ 400.00		
Total of 21, 22 and 23				\$	900.00		
_ Additional fee for specification and drawings filed in paper over 100 sheets (excluding Sequence listing or computer program listing filed in an electronic medium). The fee is \$ 250.00 for each additional 50 sheets of paper or fraction thereof.							
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Surcharge of \$130.00 for furnishing the oath or declaration later than20 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)).							
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TOTAL	18-20=	0	X \$50				
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Multiple dependent claims (if applicable) + \$360							
TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =				\$	900.00		
Applicant claims small entity status. Fees above are reduced by 1/2.							
SUBTOTAL =				\$	900.00		
Processing fee of \$130.00 for furnishing the English translation later than 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(i)).							
TOTAL NATIONAL FEE =				\$	900.00		
Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 CFR 1.21(h)). The assignment must be accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet (37 CFR 3.28, 3.31). \$40.00 per property +				\$	40.00		
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- a. \underline{X} Two checks in the amounts of $\underline{\$900.00}$ and $\underline{\$40.00}$ to cover the above fees are enclosed.
- b. _ Please charge my Deposit Account Number: 14-0112 in the amount of \$ ____ to cover the above fees. (A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.)
- c. \underline{X} The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees, which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account Number: 14-0112.
- d. __ Fees are to be charged to a credit card. WARNING: Information on this form may become public.

 Credit Card Information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038

NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 CFR 1.494 or 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive (37 CFR 1.137(a) or (b)) must be filed to request that the application be restored to pending status.

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Submitted herewith for filing in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is the following:

- 1) Transmittal Letter to U.S. Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) Concerning Filing under 35 U.S.C. 371;
- 2) International Publication Number: WO 2005/081047 A1, with the PCT/ISA/210 (International Search Report); International Publication Date: September 1, 2005; in the German Language, with an English Abstract;
- English Translation of Application, which consists of 38 pages: 3)
 - 25 pages of Textual Specification,
 - 5 pages of 18 Claims, and
 - 8 sheets of Drawings;
- 4) Preliminary Amendment, which consists of: Attachment A, to be EXAMINED;
- 5) Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney;
- 6) Executed Assignment, with a Recordation Cover Sheet;
- 7) Information Disclosure Statement;
- 8) PTO Form-1449, with 5 cited references, and copies of 1 of the 5 cited
- references; Check No.: 2591 in the Amount of \$900.00 for the Basic Filing Fee, which 9) includes the Search and Examination Fees, as a Large Entity; Check No.: 2592 in the Amount of \$40.00 for the Recordation of the
- 10) Assignment Fee;
- 11) Postcard for Early Notification of the Serial Number Request.

Respectfully submitted, NATH & ASSOCIATES PLLC

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